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Sir:

Submitted herewith on Form PTO/SB/08A is a listing of documents known to applicant in order to comply with applicant's duty of disclosure pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.56 and §1.97. A copy of the listed document is being submitted to comply with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97-1.99.

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## **RELEVANCE**

The foregoing documents came to the Applicant's attention during a search of the corresponding international application. A copy of the International Search Report setting forth the portion of each reference considered relevant by the examiner is attached.

An English language translation of documents A02-A06 are not readily available; however, the absence of such translation does not relieve the PTO from its duty to consider the submitted documents (37 CFR §1.98 and MPEP §609). An English language abstract is provided for the Examiner's consideration.

## TIMING/FEE

The instant Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date under 37 CFR §1.97(b)(1), therefore, no fee is required in connection with its filing. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Applicant respectfully requests that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialed copy of Form PTO/SB/08A be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. §609.

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